ORDINANCE NO.: 2021-05

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 18-107 OF THE TOWN CODE TO ESTABLISH FEES FOR SPECIAL SERVICES PERFORMED BY THE TOWN OF SIGNAL MOUNTAIN WATER UTILITY

WHEREAS, the Signal Mountain Town Charter empowers the Town to operate a water utility and authorizes the Town Council to adopt water rates and set other fees to provide revenue for the operation of such water utility; and,

WHEREAS, Article IV of the Signal Mountain Charter requires that legislative action of the Council shall be imposed by Ordinance when regulating the rate charged for its services by a public utility, fixing fees, service charges and utility rates.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Council hereby amends Section 18-107 of the Town Code to establish by Ordinance the following new fees for the Town's water services.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Signal Mountain, Tennessee that Section 18-107 of the Town Code shall be amended by deleting the "Other Fees" section in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

Other Fees:

Action/Service	Fee
Same day service activation	\$25.00 plus normal activation fee
Credit / Debit card fee	3.5%
Returned Check/Declined ACH	\$35.00
Turn water back on (e.g. yard meter)	\$25.00
Portable Meter/Pool Fill	\$50.00 plus water usage
Portable Meter Usage - Contractor	\$50.00 per week plus water usage

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That this Ordinance shall become effective immediately from and after its passage as provided by law.

Passed First Reading: April 26, 2021

Passed Second Reading: May 10, 2021

Charles Poss, Mayor

Town Recorder